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NOTIFICATIONS RELATING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF PANCHAYAT RAJ

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STATE ELECTION COMMISSION

REGISTRATION OF POLITICAL PARTY "GREAT INDIA PARTY".

Order No. 1410/SEC-L/2008.— The President of the "**Great India Party**" made an application to the State Election Commission, Andhra Pradesh on 19-02-2009 for registration of the party;

2. The State Election Commission set in motion the process of registration of the "**Great India Party**" as per the provisions of Symbol Order, 2001, by giving a public notice calling for objections from the general public for registration of the said political party and the notice was published in Eenadu daily dated 07-03-2009 and also in the extra ordinary issue of A.P. Gazette No.28, dated 05-03-2009.

3. The State Election Commission received representations from Sri. Sriramachandra Murthy, R/o Srikakulam and Sri M. Nagaraju, R/o Kuppam, Chittoor District, raising certain objections for registration of **Great India Party**.

4. The State Election Commissioner has examined the objections. The objections raised are untenable and do not constitute any violation of the Provisions of the Registration of Political Parties and Allotment of Symbols Order, 2001, warranting preclusion of registration of "**Great India Party**".

5. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred under Article 243K of the Constitution of India and Paragraph 3 of the Registration of Political Parties and Allotment of Symbols Order, 2001, the State Election Commission, hereby, registers the "**Great India Party**" as a political party without a reserved symbol. The registration shall not entitle the party for reservation of any exclusive symbol for it. However, the candidates duly setup by this party in local body elections (held on party basis) will be entitled to preferential treatment over independent candidates in allotment of free symbols under paragraph 5A (a) of the Registration of Political Parties and Allotment of Symbol Order, 2001.

6. Under paragraph 3 (9) (a) of the said Order, the party shall communicate to the Commission, without delay, any change in its name, head office, office-bearers, address or in any other material information.

Secunderabad,
26-03-2009.

J. SUDHA RANI,
Secretary .

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